

Sinclair Broadcasting should not be allowed to force their stations to air one-sided programming and call it "news".

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. Broadcasting a smear a presidential candidate is not news does not serve the public interest and does a grave disservice to our democracy.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard. Thank you.